Store Hours from 8.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. **Please Shop Early**

Useful Articles for Men Men's Furnishing Department

Dogskin Gloves-These come in tan and brown lined with fancy wool, and are well suited for Christmas presents. There are all sizes in this lot and are a good value. Special today, per pair75¢

Dogskin Gloves-In tan color only. These are unlined and a dressy glove for street wear. All sizes are to be had, and we strongly recommend them. Special for today, per pair\$1.00

Men's Neckwear-All the season's latest and best products are to be had at this store that will save your money, and the qualities are just what you would like to give as a token of your respect this Christmas time. Why not see them? There are some good four-in-Hand styles put in fancy boxes, one tie in each box. On sale today, each 25¢

Silk Sox-These come in a variety of colors and black, in all sizes, and are a specially good quality. These should make a very practical and welcome gift for most men. See them and you will agree that better values would be hard to find. Per pair 50¢

Boys' and Youths' Pyjamas-These are made of good striped flannelette and finished with a silk cord frog. No more efficient garment could be desired for winter wear-

Sizes to fit boys from 4 to 8 years old, per garment \$1.25 Sizes for boys from 10 to 16 years old, per garment \$1.50

One Hour of Shopping in the Morning is worth Two Later in the Day. You Avoid the Rush.

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Serviceable Clothing for Men and Boys at Specially Low Prices

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS, \$6.75 AND \$7.50 VALUES FOR \$4.75 FRIDAY

You can choose from heavy tweeds, friezes and meltons, in a wide range of patterns and colors and save from two to three dollars on your investment. This is a specially good opportunity for you. The prices are lower than the average sale price, and it is right now that you require the garments. Some of them have plain collars and others are in the two-way style. Selling regularly at \$6.75 and \$7.50. Special Friday, \$4.75.

50 MEN'S SUITS WORTH \$18.00 AND \$20.00 AT \$15.00 TODAY

These are a shipment that has been delayed and has just come to hand. The fact that we had considered them lost and had purchased other goods to replace them, has caused us to be temporarily overstocked, and we have determined to clean out this lot of fifty suits at a bargain price. They are smart suits, made of English worsted, in colors brown and fawn, some with neat stripe effects and many shades to choose from. Sizes from 32 to 44. Easily worth \$18.00, but most are worth \$20.00. All to clear at, per suit, \$15.00.

MEN'S DRESSING GOWNS AND HOUSE COATS MAKE EXCELLENT PRESENTS

In the Men's Clothing Section we are now showing these useful and seasonable goods and recommend them to you as ideal garments for Christmas presents. There is a wide range of colors and patterns to choose from in fancy eiderdowns and merinos, edged with cord and finished with cord waist lines.

The Dressing Gowns and Bath Robes are our regular values up to \$8.00. But today we will sell them at, per garment\$4.75 House Coats and Smoking Jackets-Like the dressing gowns, these come in many different patterns and colors, in good eiderdowns and merinos, have fancy cuffs and collars. These are our regular \$6.00 and \$7.50 values, but today, at the Special Christmas Sale, we will

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Practical Suggestions From the Linen Department

Runners and Squares-Made of good linen and finished with a 5in. border of hemstitching and drawnwork. Price each, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50 and\$1.00 Five o'Clock Tea Cloths-These are 45 x 45in., and are made of pure linen. They are finished with dainty wide borders of hemstitching and drawnwork. Many designs to choose from at, each, \$6.75, \$5.75, \$3.00 and ...\$2.50 Linen Doylies-Hand embroidered and finished with scalloped edges. Prices start as follows, \$3.00, \$1.75....50¢ Linen Runners-Neatly hand embroidered and finished with scalloped edges. They are 20 x 54in., at, each, \$7.50 and\$4.50 Linen Pillow Slips-These are hemstitched, embroidered and a dependable quality. Per pair\$2.25 Linen Bedspreads-These are hand embroidered and hemstitched. Many attractive patterns to choose from, at, each, \$13.50, \$12.50 and\$9.75 Linen Huckaback Towels-With hemstitched and embroidered edges. Price each, \$1.75 and\$1.25 Linen Damask Table Sets-Consisting of table cloth and six napkins, at per set, \$7.50, \$5.00, \$3.75 and \$2.50 Linen Damask Table Sets-These sets consist of twelve napkins and one table cover of a superior quality. Prices range from \$32.50 down to\$9.00



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of sheet copper and brass, also silver-plated goods, and a choice mounted china. These are all well adapted for Christmas presents, and the prices at which they are marked should make them very popular. See the window displays, or, better still, visit the department and inspect the goods.

Brass Jardinieres-These are in three sizes and are a neat shape. Each, \$1.25, \$1.00,....50¢

Copper Jardinieres-These are a particularly good line, have a superior appearance, and will Fruit Dishes-With a dainty porcelain bottom, with floral decoration and neat nickel edges.

Biscult, Jam or Sugar Jars-Made of blown glass, in a variety of attractive shapes, in colors pink, green or mauve. Price each75¢

Cracker Jars-These are heavy pressed glass jars with nickel covers and handles. Price

A Showing of Fireside Hardware

See View Street Window

brass, copper and other materials-Spark Guards, Curbs, Wood and

Coal Vases, Fire Irons, Screens and Bellows, in a diversity of new

and artistic styles. See the window display for further details. Per-

haps it may give you a suggestion for a Christmas present that will

be both practical and of value. Spencer's specially low prices prevail

House and Dancing Slippers

at Easy Prices

than a pair of good slippers, and you are sure that they will be appre-

ciated. At this store there is a very wide selection to choose from, in-

cluding all that is new in Dancing Slippers, Fancy Evening Slippers or

Plain House Slippers for men, women and children. See the window

display, and you will realize that we have paid careful attention to this

department this season, and are offering some of the finest values

and most dainty models that we have had for a long time. There is a

size, style and a price that will please all in this assortment. Shop

At a moderate cost it would be hard to find a more useful present

in this department.

early and make a good choice.

Here you will find a very wide selection of fireside furnishings in

MANY OTHER ABTICLES ARE TO BE SEEN MERE, AND ALL ARE PRICED LOW

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT ON THE SECOND FLOOR

Axminster Rugs-These are a splendid quality, have a thick velvety pile and come in a variety of rich colorings. There are Oriental, floral, conventional and medallion designs to choose from, and the prices should prove an attraction to even the most economical housekeeper. Size 27 x 54. Price\$2.50

SINGLE PAIRS OF LACE CURTAINS AT SACRIFICE PRICES

On Friday we are having a clearance sale of single pairs of Lace Curtains that have accumulated during the past few weeks. The lot includes many good samples of Swiss Lace, Battenberg, Irish Point Lace and Nottingham Nets, all the latest in design. They are mostly three yards long and the prices have been cut considerably in order to effect a speedy clearance. It is impossible to give you a fair idea of the values that are here, but a visit to the department will convince you that better values are not to be had at the prices.

Babies' Bibs and

Feeders

A GREAT VARIETY TO CHOOSE FROM

Babies' Bibs-There is a large assortment of bibs

to choose from in this department, including a

variety of sizes and plain or fancily embroid-

ered styles. Prices ranging from 65c down

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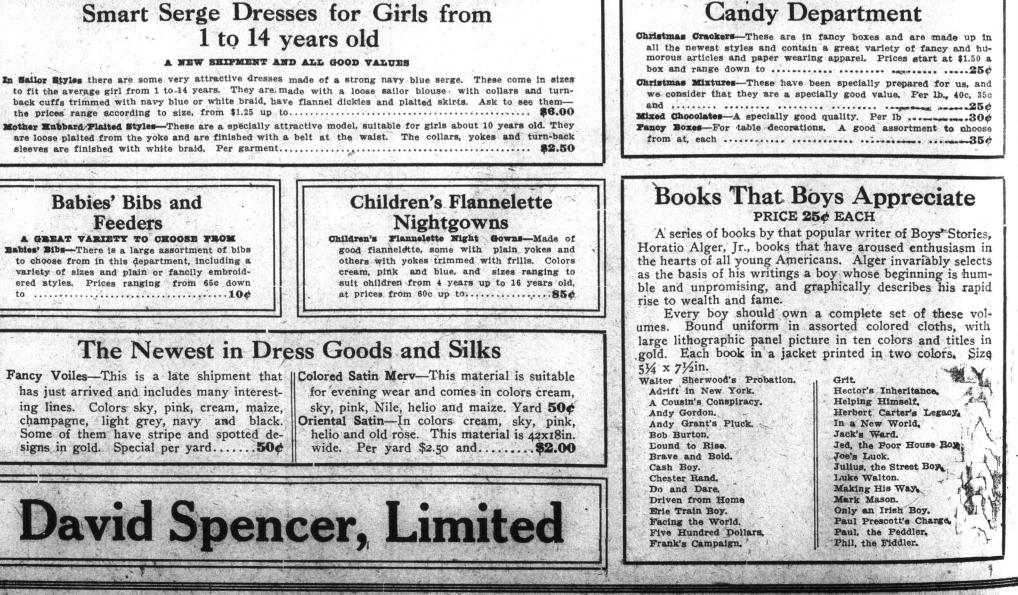
ing lines. Colors sky, pink, cream, maize,

champagne, light grey, navy and black.

Some of them have stripe and spotted de-

signs in gold. Special per yard......50¢

Linen Handkerchiefs-Neatly embroidered at the corners. There are about 60 dozen in this lot, and they are easily worth 35c each, but on Friday we will sell them at, each 25¢ Linen Handkerchiefs-The famous "John Brown" brand. Are here in a great variety of styles and qualities to choose from, and all of them have the Spencer guarantee of quality Initial Handkerchiefs-Any initial may be had here, and in many cases we can offer you a choice range to choose from. Prices each, 25c, 20c, 15c, 12 1-2c and10c Flain Mandkerchiefs-These are made of pure linen, and may be had at 20c each or as low Embroidered Handkerchiefs-These are made of pure linen, and range in price from \$1.50 Fancy Handkerchiefs-With wide lace borders, at prices ranging from \$1.50 down to .. 10¢ Colored Border Handkerchiefs-A great assortment is here for you to choose from, at prices

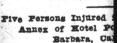


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and Representative Sist Mississippi, gave the moment today. What characterized as a chal by Representative Sis member, who, he said, the rules of the hous Sisson would like to "I do not ask for a the rules of the house torted sharply. The house broke into soon quieted down, and the appropriation bill] further trouble. The interchange, wh a moment to have u quences, resulted from fort to secure the ado ment permitting the to be sold to private a FIRE IN H



SANTA BARBARA,

annex to the Hotel] principal tourist host cific Coast, was destr today, and for more main building was ser Five persons were slip loss will reach abou It is thought the fi an explosion of gasol room of the laundry. 50 girls at work in these made a rush fo caped safely, but for brought off their cl hung in the dressing in the flames and smo was pulled out of th firemen, nearly suffor jumped from a third-suffered a fracture of Mrs. Schultz and an, aged 12, jumped f window, Mrs. Schul jured about her body,

TORONTO, Dec.

caped with minor inj

Art Needlework Novelties

Tie Ribbon Racks-These come in a variety of styles, some with wood and others with metal bars, all with fancy printed linen and stout pasteboard backs, with neatly burned and tinted designs. Various sizes, and all one

Hat Pin Holders-These come in plain cylinder styles, decorated with colored printing and ribbons, also some with a basketwork cylinder mounted on a stiff background with a printed design. A good assortment to

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